

CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE:

Specifications and Advertisement for Bids for

20 Tons of Turf Fertilizer for Farks Department

MEETING DATE:

December 4, 1991

PREPARED BY:

Parks and Recreation Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the City Council approve the specifications and authorize advertisement for bids for 20 tons of Best "Turf Gold" slow-release turf fertilizer for use by the Parks Department.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Each year the Parks Department purchases fertilizer for use on the City's 208 acres of parks. Experience has shown that Best "Turf Gold" yields a lower annual cost per acre due to a longer nitrogen release time, requiring fewer applications per year,

than a water-soluble or agricultural blend fertilizer.

The bid opening will be scheduled for Wednesday, December 18, 1991.

FUNDING:

The estimated cost of this purchase is \$9,500. Funds have been budgeted in the 1991/92 Parks

Department budget.

Renald Williamson, Parks & Recreation Director

APPROVED:

THOMAS A. PETERSON City Manager



BEST TURF GOLD

800 EACH 50-LB BAGS

PALLETIZED, 40 BAGS PER PALLET

PALLETIZED UNITS PLASTIC-WRAPPED TO PREVENT MOISTURE ACCESS

DELIVERED TO PARKS DEPARTMENT, 125 'ORTH STOCKTON STREET LODI CA 95240